

P. L. L., (1860,) art. 21, sec. 108.

**150.** The said justice shall thereupon give to said person a certificate setting forth the said oath, and shall at the same time cut off the ears and tail, and cut out the tongue, so as to prevent any second allowance therefor; and the county commissioners shall levy for the use of the person producing such certificate, the sum to which he shall thereby appear to be entitled under the provisions of section 148 of this sub-title of this article.

1872, ch 166.

**151.** Any person who shall be convicted of shooting any foxes whilst pursued by dogs, in Washington county, shall be liable to a fine of five dollars for each and every offence, to be recovered before any justice of the peace in the county, as other small debts are now recoverable.

#### HAGERSTOWN.

1884, ch 58.

**152.** The inhabitants of Hagerstown, in Washington county, are created a corporation by the name of "The Mayor and Council of Hagerstown," and by that name shall have perpetual succession; may sue and be sued; may have and use a common seal, and possess such other incidents and powers as attach by law to a municipal corporation, and may purchase and hold real, personal and mixed property for the benefit of said corporation; provided, however, that the mayor and council shall not purchase or acquire any real estate, unless the said mayor and council shall first provide by ordinance for said purchase, and the mode and manner of payment therefor; and all ordinances for the purchase of real estate shall provide for submitting the question of said purchase to the qualified voters of the town at some regular election for the election of councilmen of said town; and before any such ordinance shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the town, at least four weeks' public notice shall be given, by publication in one or more newspapers of the town, of an intention to submit said ordinance to the qualified voters of the town; and said notice shall set forth the ordinance in full, and the mode and manner of payment proposed; and no ordinance for the purchase of real estate shall be of any force or validity unless it shall receive a majority of all the votes cast at such election.